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## NAVAL BILL OMITS

Measure as Reported to House Provides for Five Battle Cruisers.

GIVES BUILDING PROGRAM BEYOND THE ESTIMATES

Carries Total of \$240,000,000, Largest Naval Appropriation in Country's History.

ear only, without the administration's five-year increase plan, was written into the naval appropriation bill!

three scout crussers, but asked for them destroyers, and also asked for thirty submarines. The total of the bill is \$240,000,000, the largest naval appropriation measure ever laid before the House.

#### Looks to the Senate.

The increase for 1917 is, if anything, arger than the recommendations of the Navy Department, but the failure to incorporate a constructive five-year buildng plan is disappointing to administrao make amends for the House.

The deadlock on the building program was succeeded by the determination of he eight republican members to oppose he five-year building program and to inbuilding program hat is, the 1917 schedule, over what the Department recommended. Five ocrats opposed both the five-year uilding program and any increase in the 917 program, and it was only after arnest pleading that Chairman Padgett naval affairs committee induced Representative Hensley of Missouri and the four other "small navy" men to com-promise so that a bill could be reported. Had the republicans and little navy men combined, the straight democrats could have been defeated easily.

#### World Conference Proposed.

Representative Hensley succeeded in cetting into the bill legislation authorizing the President to call a conference of world powers at the conclusion of the present war to draw plans for an international peace tribunal.

International peace tribunal.

After the democrats of the committee had mended their difficulties and had agreed to stand together against the republicans, the minority proposal for increase of the navy was learned. It consists of the addition in 1917 of 2 battleships, 6 battle cruisers, 5 scout cruisers, 50 submarines, 28 destroyers, 2 gunboats, 1 tender for the destroyer fleet, 2 oil ships, a supply ship, a transport, a hospital ship, an ammunition ship and a repair ship.

### Hopes for Early Action.

Majority Leader Kitchin of the House expressed great satisfaction with the bill, and said it might be brought up in the House next week, although other democratic leaders were not hopeful that it could be voted on be-

fore the national conventions. Secretary Daniels said: "Of course, 1 think it would have been best if the year program, but I understood that at no time was it possible to secure the votes of a majority of the com-mittee for this larger proposition. As I said at the time, the program I pre-sented to Congress represented a mini-mum and not a maximum of each type."

VAUGHN CLASS GIVES PLAY.

Entertains Audience at Falls Church, Va., With Rural Comedy. "The Mystery of Squash Center," rural comedy, was presented by men of the Vaughn class of Calvary Baptist Sunday school last night before a large audience at Odd Fellows' Hall, Falls Church, Va. The entertainment was under the auspices of the Houston Bible class of the Methodist Episcopal

Sunday school at Falls Church. At this second public performance several new features were introduced, including "The Opera Encore," a hu-morous reading by Francis Browne, and a negro-dialect recitation, "Jim Wolf and the Cats," by A. L. Sampson. The director was A. Owen Penney, who played the part of the postmaster

At the close of the entertainment the aughn class men were entertained y the Virginians at an informal lunch-on, which the ladies had prepared in ne church banquet room. Among the on, which the ladies had prepared in he church banquet room. Among the osts were Rev. Merritt Earl, pastor f the church; M. E. Church, superin-ndent of the Sunday school; George . Brist, assistant superintendent.

Missionary College to Hold Exercises

Commencement exercises of the Vashington Missionary College are to held Monday at 8 o'clock, at the Ta-Park Seventh-day Adventist burch. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Elder A. G. Daniels tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. There also will be two selections by a double quartet and the invocation by Dr. H. W. Miller.

### OF PRICES ON RESALE MILITARY SCHOOL PLAN **FAVOR MAINTENANCE**

Chamber of Commerce Results in Two-Third Vote.

Maintenance of resale prices under roper restrictions is favored by about two-thirds of the organizations affili ated with the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, according to a ote recently taken.

Referendum by the United States

A large proportion of those who in in favor of the second recommendation the department. authorizing the federal trade commision as the agency to prevent preda-Chamber on the second proposition. The vote will be canvassed at a meet-

The affiliated organizations, each being entitled to from one to ten votes, according to their membership, voted or or against the following re

John H. Gross, Colored, Is Held on a Burglary Charge.

John H. Gross, colored, seventeen years old, 1308 Wallach street northwest, last night was arrested by Detective Burlingame and charged with burglary at the apartment of W. W. Spaulding, clerk to the House District committee, 1627 16th street northwest. The boy was employed about the building last winter. Upon complaint of several thefts of money, Detective Bur-lingame secreted himself in the apart-

several theffs of money, Detective Burlingame secreted himself in the apartment to await the possible return of the intruder.

About 9:30 o'clock, it is charged, Gross climbed through a window and entered the bedroop, the detective watching his movements from the bathroom. The barking of a pet dog caused Gross to darken the room, and when he turned out the light the detective advanced, flashed a light in his face and pointed his revolver at him.

Gross wilted at the sight of the gun and probably would have fallen to the floor had not the detective grabbed him. He will be arraigned in court tomorrow.



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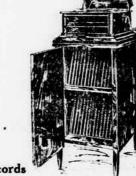
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Project to Obtain Training for War ' Time Indorsed by Secretary Lane.

preliminary count of a referendum Interior Department that a plan is now being pushed forward with a view to forming a practical military training orsed this recommendation also voted school, to be composed of employes of

This plan, which originated at the Home Club of the department, met with tory price cutting. However, there the unanimous approval at a meeting of were not enough to secure the two- members representing five of the buhirds majority to commit the National reaus. The question of limiting the membership of the proposed organizaing of the executive committee, May under advisement, and at present an effort is being made to ascertain the sentiment of other employes of the de partment toward the scheme.

#### Purposes Set Forth.

ten into the naval appropriation bill today following the vote taken on the building items by the House naval appropriations committee yesterday. The committee, after a five-day deadlock, agreed on the following as an increase for the navy during the fiscal year 1917: Five battle cruisers, four scout cruisers, ten destroyers, twenty submarines, of which three are to be seagoing and the rest coast defense type; one hospital ship, one fuel oil ship, one ammunition ship.

The administration's recommendation for capital ships was two battle cruisers and two battleships. The Navy Department also recommended foily three scout cruisers, but asked for fifteen destroyers, and also asked for thirty submarines. The total of the bill is \$240,000,000, the largest naval appropriation measure ever laid before the House.

The former should be federal legislation received the indorsement of Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the Interior, is purposed to prepare its members to purpose do prepare

practical purposes it can be most useful in the nature of infantry. It is pointed out, however, that instruction would be given in the dutres and uses of artiilery, cavalry, engineers, signal corps, quartermaster corps, ordnance corps, marines and sailors.

Under the present tentative plan the organization would be entirely independent of active association with

either the regular army or the National Guard, but would co-operate with both in so far as proved practicable.

### Plan of Organization

Save in the event of the organiza tion becoming a part of the Federal Reserve Corps, enlistment would not be for a definite period exceeding one be elected and the constitution and bylaws adopted in open meeting.

The Sons of Veterans Drum Corps has offered its services to the proposed organization. A date and place for a meeting, at which it is proposed to ef-fect permanent organization, will be announced in the near future. Present plans are in charge of S. E. Bomar of the Indian office.

#### Examinations at G. W. U.

Final examinations for students of he arts and sciences department at George Washington University will ommence next Wednesday and continue through May 31. Classes will be suspended during the examination and has been drawn up by a faculty committee, of which Prof. George N. Henning, head of the department of romance languages, is chairman. There will be no examinations May 30, which is a holiday in all nine departments of the university.

#### BAND CONCERT.

United States Soldiers' Home Band, John S. M. Zimmermann, director, at bandstand, Soldiers' Home, this afternoon at o'clock.

March, "The Royal Australian Navy". . . . . . . . . Lithgow Overture, "Oberon". ... Von Weber Suite de Ballet, "The Seasons," Glazounow No. 1-Barcarolle.

2—Valse. 3—Petit Adagio. 4—Bacchanal. Selection, "Tina" (new) ... Rubens

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## PLANNING TO RAISE **ADDITIONAL REVENUE**

year. Officers, it is proposed, would House Ways and Means Committees Framing Bill for Further Taxation.

> Members of the House ways and neans committee were getting ready today to frame a bill to provide about \$150,000,000 additional revenue for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, by taxing incomes, inheritances and munitions. The amount needed, \$150,000,000 Adoo, is \$75,000,000 less than even con servative members of Congress calculated would be required.

Chairman Kitchin of the House ways and means committee announced the plan to raise additional revenue would be shaped within two weeks, and the House would be ready to consider it immediately after the national conventions. He believes that the revenue problem simplified by the reduced estimate of amount needed, the entire legislative program can be completed by the House in time to allow adjournment by August 1. Senate debate may prolong the session, however.

#### Omnibus Bill Is Probable.

It is considered probable that an om ibus bill will be drawn to contain al revenue measures, in accordance with plan President Wilson is understood o favor. This will include prepared ness revenues.

Secretary McAdoo estimated the bal ance in the general revenue fund at the end of the present fiscal year would be about \$150,000,000, and \$13,500,000 at the end of the 1917 fiscal year. He took into consideration probable costs of the army and navy increases, larger ex-penditures for good roads, rural credits and flood protection.

#### George W. Bowers Sworn In.

George W. Bowers, a republican, was worn in yesterday by Speaker Clark as the representative of the second West Virginia district. He succeeded Representative Brown, democrat, deceased. The House now stands: Democrats, 229; republicans, 198.

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